Adopted Rejected

COMMITTEE REPORT

YES: 22 NO: 0

MR. SPEAKER:

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Your Committee on <u>Ways and Means</u>, to which was referred <u>House Bill 1797</u>, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert the following:

SECTION 1. IC 6-2.5-5-13 IS AMENDED TO READ AS 2 3 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: Sec. 13. Transactions 4 involving tangible personal property are exempt from the state gross 5 retail tax, if: 6 (1) the property is: (A) classified as central office equipment, station equipment 8 or apparatus, station connection, wiring, or large private 9 branch exchanges according to the uniform system of accounts 10 which was adopted and prescribed for the utility by the Indiana 11 utility regulatory commission; or 12 (B) mobile telecommunications switching office equipment, 13 radio or microwave transmitting or receiving equipment, 14 including, without limitation, towers, antennae, and property

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1	that perform a function similar to the function performed by
2	any of the property described in clause (A); and
3	(2) the person acquiring the property furnishes or sells intrastate
4	telecommunication service in a retail transaction described in
5	IC 6-2.5-4-6, regardless of whether the property is used
6	exclusively in the furnishing or sale of an interstate
7	telecommunication service in a retail transaction described in
8	IC 6-2.5-4-6.
	(Reference is to HB 1797 as introduced)

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

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